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LOCAL NEWS.

—Ashley, the three-year-old son of N. B.

Blood, had a strange and dangerous ex-

perience Saturday on the corner of Morris

and Quincy streets. He was playing

around an open vent-pipe from a sewer,

and put his foot into the pipe to warm

himself. He got his foot into a bend and

could not withdraw it. Help soon arrived

and the boy was released from his peculiar

imprisonment without injury.

—The union meeting at the Methodist

church Sunday evening was well attended.

Secretary Lovejoy's talk and Rev. Mr.

Penney's sermon were very interesting

and instructive.

—The F. M. T. A. fair to be held in Col-

umbia opera house for two weeks, will

probably be opened August 15.

Frank Bowen spent Sunday in Pittsfield

with friends.

W. Avery, salesman for W. S. Under-

wood, left today with his family for a

two week's camp at Sawdus Lake, Vt.

Miss Anna Ball of Springfield, Vt., who

has been the guest of her sister on Brac-

well avenue, left today for Bennington,

Vt., to visit relatives.

Miss Ethel Whipple of North Pownal

spent Sunday in this city with Miss Win-

fred Barber.

By Telegraph
5.00 O'CLOCK.

ADJOURNMENT.

Congress May Adjourn Tomor-
row. Corraling Members
in the Last Hours.

A NEW DEFICIENCY BILL.

FRAMED TO MEET THE PRES-
IDENT'S VIEWS PASSED BY
THE SENATE AND LOUD-
LY CHEERED IN THE
HOUSE.

[Special Dispatch to the Transcript.]

WASHINGTON, June 8.—When the House
reconvened at ten o'clock this morning
in continuation of the legislative day of
Saturday there were only about seventy
members on the floor. The leaders de-
termined to take measures for securing
and keeping a quorum in attendance dur-
ing the remainder of the session. A resolu-
tion was adopted revoking all leaves of
absence except for sickness and directing
the sergeant at arms to telegraph absentees
to return forthwith.

A special deficiency bill providing for
the payment of salaries of members and
for several other minor matters was passed
by the House under suspension of the rules.

In the Senate a new deficiency bill
framed to meet objections of the Presi-
dent's veto message was taken up. Be-
fore proceeding with it some minor mat-
ters were disposed of. The attendance
was large.

Walcott asked immediate consideration
of the resolution directing the library
committee to investigate the circum-
stances of the award of the statue of Gen-
eral Sherman, Ruhl Smith's design having
been accepted and requesting the Secre-
tary of War to suspend execution of the
contract until the report is made next
session. The resolution went over after
considerable discussion.

When the deficiency bill was reached
Harris offered an amendment covering
the claims under Bowman act which had
been omitted in the house bill although
no specific objection to them was made in
veto message.

He said the Bowman claims amounting
about \$500,000 had been subjected to judi-
cial scrutiny and should be paid as much
as any obligations incurred by the gov-
ernment. After further debate the vice-
president submitted the point order
against the amendment and it was voted
out of order. The deficiency bill was
passed as it came from the house.

The announcement that the deficiency
bill had been passed by the Senate was
loudly cheered by the members when it
was made in the House.

The House leaders believe this means
an early adjournment. Dingley says that
the Senate's action assures adjournment
tomorrow.

The president has nominated Richard
Bartlesman of Massachusetts as U. S. Con-
sul to Malaga, Spain.

FROM CUBA.

[Special Dispatch to the Transcript.]

HAVANA, June 8.—The local guerrilla
force of Colon has had a skirmish with an
insurgent band at Angostura, killing sev-
eral. During recent skirmishes the insur-
gents have lost eight killed. Trustworthy
advices from Province Pinar del Rio say
there has been a serious conflict between
colored and white insurgents under Ma-
teo, during which twenty men of either
side are said to have been killed and
many wounded.

LEADING REPUBLICAN DEAD.

[Special Dispatch to the Transcript.]

NORFOLK, Mass., June 8.—Everett
Eaton, special county commissioner of
Norfolk county, and a widely known and
respected citizen died this morning after
a brief illness. He was 58 years of age. He
was a Republican and had been prominent
in town affairs many years.

SAT DOWN UPON.

The Tribunal at Cairo Reproves the
Government for Meddling with
the Egyptian Reserve Fund.

[Special Dispatch to the Transcript.]

CAIRO, Egypt, June 8.—The mixed tri-
bunal rendered judgment today against
the government and four commissioners
who favored advancing funds for the

EGYPTIAN RESERVE.

The tribunal declared such an advanc-

ing of money to be in violation of all ex-
isting decrees, condemned the action of
the government and ordered it to repay
to the Egyptian reserve the money which
had been advanced.

The commissioners were enjoined from
advancing any further moneys from the
reserve fund. The government and the
four commissioners immediately lodged an
appeal against the decision.

ESCAPED FROM PRISON.

[Special Dispatch to the Transcript.]

HARTFORD, June 8.—George Miner and
Dwight Steer, two prisoners in the Con-
necticut state prison at Weathersfield, es-
caped at an early hour this morning. The
men were attached to the hospital de-
partment. Miner was serving a ten years'
sentence for burglary, while Steer was
sentenced from New London county for
life on charge of murder.

A posse of twenty-five men is scouring
the country and an alarm has been sent
throughout this and neighboring states.
Rewards of \$200 for each have been
offered.

THE FLEMING TRIAL.

[Special Dispatch to the Transcript.]

NEW YORK, June 8.—In the Fleming
murder trial this morning the Recorder
began the proceedings by addressing the
jury cautioning them against being in-
fluenced by reported interviews. The cross
examination of Dr. Scheele was resumed
and the prosecuting attorney began at
once upon the line he was pursuing when
the court adjourned Friday.

A TURKISH DEFEAT.

[Special Dispatch to the Transcript.]

ATHENS, Greece, June 8.—Advices from
Crete announce that the insurgents
on Saturday defeated the Turkish troops
and captured four guns and 200 martini
rifles. A heavy loss of life is reported on
both sides.

THE SHAH OF PERSIA.

[Special Dispatch to the Transcript.]

TEHRAN, June 8.—Mussaffar Ed Din
the new Shah of Persia was formally
enthroned today at noon with great cere-
mony and gorgeous display.

FINANCIAL.

[Special Dispatch to the Transcript.]

New York Market.

[Closing Quotations, 3 p. m.]

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Hocking Valley..... 16 1/4

Chicago & Northwestern..... 104 3/4

C. B. & Q..... 77 1/4

Chicago Great Western..... 67 3/4

St. Paul..... 76

Rock Island..... 69 1/2

Chicago, St. P. & N. O..... 42

C. C. & St. L..... 33

Cons. Gen..... 69 1/2

Del. & Hudson..... 32 1/4

Del. & N. W..... 10 7/8

Dix. & Fenwick..... 32 1/4

Gen. Electric..... 151 1/2

L. & N..... 49 1/4

Manhattan Elevated..... 104 1/2

M. & P. Cons..... 23 3/4

Missouri Pacific..... 25 7/8

National Lead..... 3 3/4

New England..... 96

N. Y. Central..... 96

Erie..... 34

N. Y. & West..... 24

N. Y. & W. & W..... 24

No. Pacific pref..... 11 1/8

Pacific Mail..... 23 3/8

Public Reading..... 8 3/4

Pullman..... 6 7/8

Southern Railway..... 25 1/8

Tee. Coal & Iron..... 23 3/8

U. S. Steel..... 8 1/2

U. S. Trust..... 16 3/8

U. S. Leather..... 25 1/4

Wheeling & Lake Erie..... 9 7/8

Chicago Markets.

Wheat—July 1896..... Sept 1896

Corn—July 1896..... Sept 1896

Oats—July 1896..... Sept 1896

Pork—July 1896..... Sept 1896

Lard—July 1896..... Sept 1896

Cotton.

July..... Opening..... Closing.....

..... 65 1/2..... 65 1/2.....

Morning News Will Be Found

on Page Four of this Paper.

LOCAL NEWS.

J. B. Reed's House Burglarized.

The house of John Reed between Will-
iamstown and Pownal was entered by a
thief Friday afternoon. He made a
thorough search through the house for
money and was repaid by finding a \$5 bill.

The family were absent but returned
soon and discovered that they had lost
the above sum. Two of the boys started
in pursuit and went immediately to the
station in Pownal where they learned
that a man apparently a tramp, wearing
a pair of canvas shoes, had purchased a
ticket for Hoosick Falls. Going down
the street they found that the shoes had
been purchased at one of the stores and a
\$5 note tendered in payment. The
Hoosick Falls authorities have been no-
tified and it is hoped the rascal may be
captured.

THE NORMAL SCHOOL.

The Legislature Makes an Appropriation

for its Running Expenses.

The legislature last week passed a bill
appropriating \$8,000 to pay the running
expenses of the state normal school in
this city to Jan. 1, 1897. It is hoped
to have the building completed in time to
open the school September 1, the begin-
ning of the school year, but if this is not
done it will be ready shortly after that
date, and the appropriation makes it pos-
sible to open the school as soon as the
building is finished, while without it the
opening might have been long delayed.

It is desirable that all of the normal
schools should open for the year at the
same time, hence the necessity of an ap-
propriation before the adjournment of
the legislature to provide for the opening
of the school here.

THE HYPNOTIST HERE.

Will Put a Young Man to Sleep for Two

ty-four Hours.

Tuesday evening, in connection with
his laughable show, Professor Lee, the
hypnotist, will repeat the wonderful ex-
periment that he was so successful with
in Albany, Syracuse and Rochester, of
putting a young man in a hypnotic sleep
for twenty-four hours. He will put him
asleep at the opera house at 10 o'clock,
after an examination as to his pulse, res-
piration and temperature by a committee
of physicians from the audience. Then
the sleeper will be carried to some store
and placed in a window, where he will be
watched all night by a committee se-
lected at the theatre. The bodily func-
tion of the sleeper will be practically
suspended. He will neither hunger nor
thirst nor feel the ordinary wants of a
human being. He will lie entirely motion-
less on his back the entire twenty-
four hours. On Wednesday evening at
7.30 he will be again carried to the the-
atre and be awakened by Professor Lee
before the entire audience and again be
examined by physicians. His pulse and
respiration will be taken hourly during
his sleep by any physician who may be
present. The young man will show no
ill effects from his experience and will be
used during the balance of the perform-
ance. The strange feature of Mr. Lee's
theory of hypnotism is that this cess-
ation of the bodily functions in a human
being is actually the same physical proc-
ess that enables the bear to hibernate.
If a bear can put himself to sleep for
weeks at a time there is no reason why
man cannot do the same. Mr. Lee gives
as a reason for not putting the young
man to sleep for a longer period that he
performs the above experiment every
week.

Dog Owners Must Pay.

City Clerk Brooker is beginning to

petty with the owners of canines who

have not paid the required tax this year.

The times and days of grace have long
passed by and yet about 200 delinquents
remain.

The dog officers will be appointed July
1 and Mr. Brooker thinks there will be
some havoc among the bow-wow whose
masters have so far forgotten them as to
allow them to come under the callous
hand of the dog law. Thus far 469 dogs
have been licensed.

Home From the East.

J. Henry Hayes, who for fifteen years

has been engaged in archaeological explo-
rations in the Orient under the auspices
of the University of Pennsylvania, arrived
in this city Saturday and spent Sunday
at the home of his brother-in-law, Charles S.
Peach, of Hall street. He left today for
Philadelphia and will return to attend
Williams college commencement, at which
time there will be a reunion of the class of
'76, of which he is a member.

Observance of Forester's Day.

The members of the local lodge of the

Foresters of America observed the day

set apart by the national lodge for the de-
coration of deceased members Sunday
afternoon. The procession was made to
the cemetery on West Main street at 2
o'clock. About 175 men were in line
and decorated the graves. Delegations
were sent from this city to Hoosick Falls,
N. Y., and Williamstown where similar
exercises were held.

Adjourned Meeting.

An adjourned meeting of the Grand

Army Benevolent association will be held
at Grand Army hall this evening at 8
o'clock. A full attendance is desired.

HENRY A. TOWNE, President.

J. T. Porter, Secretary.

Williams Defeated.

Dartmouth surprised everybody Sat-
urday by defeating Williams in a champion-
ship game at Hanover, 7 to 5. The game
was the most interesting of the season,
and was full of brilliant and snappy plays.

Mrs. Joseph Warhurst of Wappinger's
Fall, N. Y., is visiting her mother, Mrs.
Charles Warburton of Bracewell avenue.

E. Rogers left today for Greenfield and
Boston. He will sail Wednesday for
Portland, Me., on his way to Heron Is-
land.

Misses Lillian Evans and Anabel Jones
of Houghton street, have returned from a
visit in Williamstown.

Officer Jones left today for a two week's
vacation.

Miss Mabel Walton of Church place
sailed from New York Saturday afternoon
on the steamer, Berlin, for Germany. She
expects to remain in Germany about three
months for study.

Miss Francis B. Pinkerton, who has
been the guest of her sister at the Berkshire
Hills Sanatorium, returned to Boston to-
day.

W. E. Draper is in Boston on business.
Senator Lawrence spent Saturday and
Sunday in this city.

A SENSATION

Of Startling Character May Be
Developed from an Arrest
by Local Officers.

A MYSTERIOUS SWELL PRISONER.

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tinguished Contributors to Political
Funds and Alleged Industrial
Schemes of Magnificent
Titles.

J. Duncan Fraser, who was arrested Sat-
urday in Charleston by Chief Kendall
and Sheriff Moloney, at the direction of
the Bennington, Vt., officers, as briefly
mentioned in Saturday's TRANSCRIPT, is
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tion and the officers are justly proud of
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